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Contractors: Sharpen your skills today!

Louisiana Contractors Accreditation Institute to offer training courses beginning October 3rd

The Louisiana State Licensing Board for Contractors (LSLBC) is partnering with the Louisiana Department of Economic Development and the Louisiana Community & Technical College System to offer small and emerging construction businesses with up-to-date industry training and critical information about construction management, as well as how to prepare for the State Licensing Board's Exams.

The partnership, called the Louisiana Contractor Accreditation Institute (LCAI), is scheduled to launch classes on October 3, 2016. Those preparing to obtain a contractor's license for the first time—as well as those already with a contractor's license—are encouraged to attend.

Courses during the LCAI program will be taught by industry leaders and will cover a wide variety of topics, including the bid process, contract management, estimating, equipment management, scheduling, occupational safety, risk management, financial and business management, bonding and access to capital, certifications and available resources, and entrepreneurship training. Classes may also include additional information such as working in the energy sector or with coastal restoration.

LCAI is open to all who have the intent to start or currently have an established construction business based in Louisiana.

The six-week course includes two-hour sessions twice weekly. Participants are required to attend at least 80% of the courses to qualify for course completion. Registration is \$200 for the course and the course book.

The LCAI is offered through an interactive distance learning system at locations throughout Louisiana. To find a classroom location and register for the program, go [here](http://www.OpportunityLouisiana.com/LCAI). Space is limited, so register today!

For more information, visit the website at www.OpportunityLouisiana.com/LCAI.

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